

1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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20 **RESPONSE TO DECEMBER 26, 2006 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

21 Sir:

22 In response to the **December 26, 2006** non-final office action (the Action),
23 the response is provided as follows:

24 Listings of claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

25 Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.